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MALE BIRTHS EXCEED FEMALE

Students of Heredity Puzzled Over Sudden Change of Sex Ratio in Central America.

A sudden change in the sex ratio among certain tribes of aborigines in Central America is noted by Henry Pittier of the bureau of plant industry, Washington, in the Journal of Heredity.

Among the adult Tirub there are now 292 males to 326 females, but among children there are 208 boys to 167 girls.

Among the Bribrí there are 288 men to 369 women, but among their children there are 203 boys to 137 girls.

Both of these tribes inhabit mountain fastnesses in Costa Rica, near the Panama boundary. They have been subjected to cruelty and oppression almost since the Spanish conquest and are rapidly dying out. The sudden change in the ratio between the sexes is difficult to account for.

IN THE SUBURBS.

"Aren't you on good terms with your relations, Mr. Smith?"

"I used to be, but since I got this place and charged board they are not on good relations with my terms."

Now That We Know.

An eminent mycologist declares that we are in no danger of mistaking poisonous toadstools for mushrooms if we are careful to eat only the chestnut-colored boletus, the involute boletus, the glistening ink-cap, the beefsteak mushrooms, the pine-cone boletus, Mary's russula, the edible chanterel and the honey agaric. Now that we know what's what, why should we view the mushroom with alarm?—Greenville News.

TIME TO WAKE UP

REPUBLICANS TRY TO CONTROL FUTURE FROM PAST.

When the War is Over We Shall Face Totally New Situation in Oversea Trade—Will Not Need High Tariff Wall.

The Republican element keeps harping on the protective tariff issue. It takes its ultimate stand on the declaration that we shall witness at the close of the war a tremendous industrial productivity on the part of the nations now at strife and that the only hope for our own possession of our home market will be the erection of the highest of high tariff walls about it. It is the purpose of this article to demonstrate that in so holding the G. O. P. turns to the broken bottles of the past to hold the new wine of the commercial future of America.

When the war is over we shall face a totally new situation in foreign trade. Up till August, 1914, we were debtors internationally. Every year we exported far more than we imported, the excess going to pay interest and dividends to foreign creditors and foreign holders of our stocks. This normal export balance is a sign of a debtor nation. It is characteristic of the trade of Russia, Japan, Peru, Argentina, Chile, the United States. On the other hand, the normal trade of Great Britain, Germany, France, Austria-Hungary and Italy has for years shown a large import balance. These nations owned so many overseas enterprises and had so much money lent beyond their own domains that, taking their pay in the products of the debtor countries, as they needs must, they received more goods than they sent out.

Now for the situation after the war. During the past two years the United States, as nearly as we can tell, has changed from a debtor to a creditor nation. It is not money lent to new and undeveloped countries like Brazil and Argentina that has wrought this change; it is money lent to the great manufacturing nations of Europe.

How will they pay our dividends and interest?

Not in gold. We have, during the past two years, received some \$450,000,000 gold on balances, and to take more would mean to weaken the foundations of international credit so far as to invite a general European financial smash which would destroy the ability of our European debtors to pay their debts. We cannot, generally speaking, take raw materials from our European debtors for the very sufficient reason that they haven't got them; we are ourselves sellers of raw materials to Europe. There is but one thing left: we must take Europe's manufactured goods in amounts altogether new to our former experience, simply because Europe owes us, must pay and has nothing else to pay with. This is not going to happen by reason of anybody's desire or choice, nor can it be stayed off by any kind of legislation, political change or trade policy. When Smith owes Jones, Jones must take what Smith has to pay with, or go unpaid.

McAdoo on Dollar Diplomacy.

No American of the present hour is more typical of the best things in his generation than Secretary McAdoo. Take this utterance from the secretary:

"We have substituted dollar exchange for dollar diplomacy, which is the true way to secure and hold our share of the world's commerce. Dollar exchange represents the conquest of foreign markets through friendship and reciprocally advantageous trade relations. Dollar diplomacy represents the attempt to secure foreign concessions and trade by force—by the use of the army and navy of the United States."

Secretary McAdoo believes that the possession of great wealth means increased opportunity for service. And he has placed the impress of his constructive statesmanship upon the finances of his country in the most critical hour in the history of world finance.

Thought Everyone Knew That.

Readers of some of the newspapers so anxious to prove things against President Wilson will soon be convinced, no doubt, that he started the war in Europe.

Let 'Em Live.

There will be no general objection to the continued existence of the Republican party if it will cease to contend for the offices.

Get a G. O. P. Leader.

It will be time for the Republicans in congress to talk about changing their leader when they succeed in getting one.

Those Progressive Members.

The few Progressive members of the next house of representatives at Washington must be highly complimented by the distinguished attention that they are receiving from Oyster Bay. Three months ago Mr. Roosevelt was devoting his days and nights to the proposition that the highest duty of a Progressive was to vote the straight stand-pat ticket. Not one of these men would be in a position to accept instructions from the colonel if his admonitions had been heeded at the polls.

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